REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application and reconsideration of the Office Action dated September 11, 2006. Upon entry of this Amendment, Claims 1, 2, 4-8 and 10 will be pending in this application.

Fees for extending the time period for reply to the Office Action two additional months are filed concurrently herewith. If any additional fees are due in connection with the filing of this Response or the accompanying papers, such as fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17, please charge the fees to SGR Deposit Account No. 02-4300, Order No. 043629.002. If an additional extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 is necessary that is not accounted for in the papers filed herewith, such an extension is requested. The additional extension fee also should be charged to SGR Deposit Account No. 02-4300, Order No. 043629.002. Any overpayment can be credited to Deposit Account No. 02-4300, Order No. 043629.002.

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